

Georgia  
 Jackson County, Georgia, all by these presents that I Thomas Johnson of said County  
 being of sound & disposing mind & memory but in failing health do make this my  
 last will & testament hereby revoking all former writings  
 Item 1<sup>st</sup> I give my wife Elizabeth Johnson my first bed  
 Item 2<sup>nd</sup> I give my two negro slaves Sally & Judy over to my wife for her  
 Item 3<sup>rd</sup> to Draper & as she may desire  
 Item 4<sup>th</sup> all the remainder of my property I give to my wife during life  
     to be equally divided between my son Joseph Johnson & my daughter  
     Jane Smith & at her death to the heirs of her body this property con-  
     sisting of slaves & kitchen furniture together with my stock of horses  
     hounds  
 Item 5<sup>th</sup> I hereby nominate & appoint my son Joseph Johnson Executor of  
 this my last will & testament I attorney taking of I have hitherto done  
 My hand & seal this 21<sup>st</sup> of April 1855  
 Signed Seal & witnessed  
 In the presence of  
 John M. Mathews  
 Alfred Smith  
 John Creighton

Georgia Personalty consisting of land John M.  
 Jackson County, Mathews Alfred Smith & John Creighton were  
     being sworn deah that they saw Thomas  
 Johnson sign seal publish & declare the within writing to be his  
 last will & testament & that they subscribed the same as witness  
     in the presence of each other & the testator & at his request  
     & they believe he was at the time of sound & disposing mind and  
     memory sworn to & subscribed in open court 5<sup>th</sup> March 1855  
 John G Pittman Ad  
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 Received 5<sup>th</sup> March 1855  
 John G Pittman Ad

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 Alfred Smith  
 John Creighton